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## Construction Begun on Deep Disposal Well

Last month, when construction of a so-called Class I Deep Disposal Well began at a site north of Northline and west of Wahrman in Romulus, controversy over the safety of such a facility resurfaced.

According to Douglas F. Wicklund, president of Environmental Disposal Systems, Inc. (EDS), which will build and operate the facility, such wells – planned for the commercial disposal of industrial liquid wastes – provide manufacturers with a safe and permanent disposal alternative. Supporting his assertion, Wicklund cites a 1989 Environmental Protection Agency (EPA) study which deemed Class I hazardous wells "safer than virtually all other waste disposal practices."

Class I wells are steel and concrete-encased shafts, placed deep in the earth, through which liquid wastes are emplaced into porous rock formations 4,000 feet below useable drinking waters. The material is prevented from moving upward, according to expert geologists, by impermeable rock formations, thousands of feet thick.

"Protection of the environment through environmentally safe and responsible disposal of industrial liquids is our single overriding objective," said Wicklund, who explained that EDS chose the Northline/Wahrman site in Romulus because of its geological suitability, light industrial zoning, rural setting, and accessibility. "We feel that deep-well technology offers the safest and most effective proven method of disposal."

According to the Texas Water Commission, Class I wells have been safely operating in their state for over 40 years; further, the Michigan Department of Natural Resources (MDNR) recently asserted that, "of the 20-plus industrial waste disposal wells (Class I) presently operating (in Michigan), we have had no instances of well failure or contamination during a period of approximately 21 years."

EPA regulations require that all wastes, when disposed of, will remain confined for a period of at least 10,000 years.

EDS, which has already received permits from the EPA and the MDNR for the facility, will also develop a laboratory, offices, and a holding and filtration facility, and will install utilities, a rail spur, and other site improvements. The entire facility will be constructed and operated strictly according to the EPA and Michigan Department of Natural Resources requirements, specifications, and regulations, Wicklund assured.

Discussing the kinds of companies that will utilize the disposal facility, James S. Clapperton, director of marketing and public relations for EDS, said, "Our pri-

mary market will be manufacturers located in southeastern Michigan. We intend to offer liquid-waste generators a substantial cost savings by allowing them access to a secure facility and, therefore, an alternative to landfill disposal, incineration, and other high-risk practices."

When operations begin (projected date: the first quarter of 1994), EDS plans to dispose of light liquids only, most of which are comprised of approximately 95% water. These liquids, for the most part, have already been recycled and have no energy value.

The EPA estimates that, of the approximately nine billion gallons of liquid hazardous wastes generated each year in the United States, over 50% is safely and permanently disposed of using Class I deep disposal wells.

But many Romulus residents remain unconvinced of the facility's safety. One such resident is City Councilman Russell Lambert.

"Since the initial proposal for this facility came before the City, I've spent a lot of time studying materials from a variety of expert sources. I don't think it's prudent to rely solely on information selected by a corporation which has an enormous financial interest in citing only favorable opinions; many other experts out there are more pessimistic about this disposal method's safety."

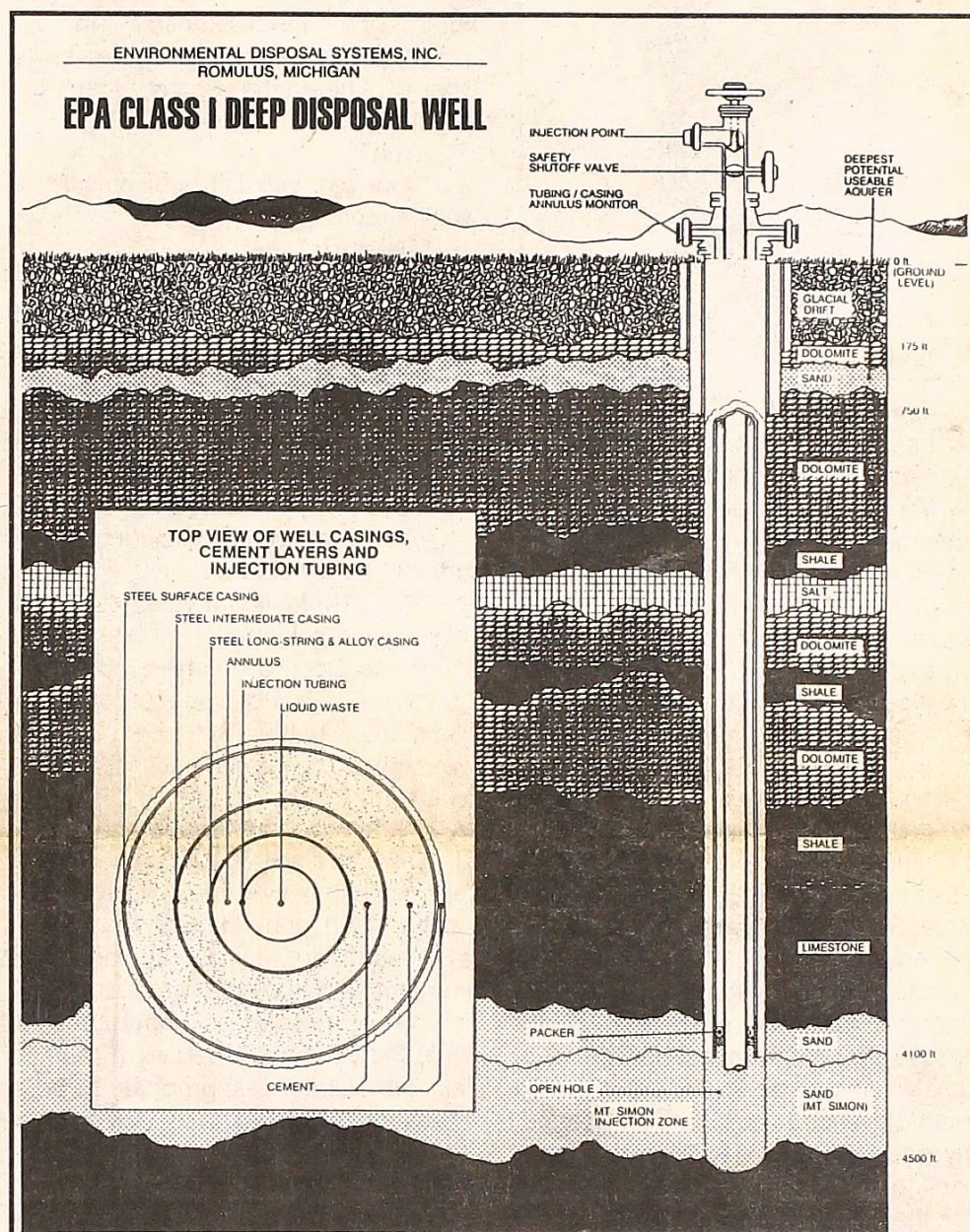
Lambert said that his research has led him to be skeptical about several of the EDS claims.

"For instance," he said, "many of the wastes to be disposed of are man-made chemicals never encountered in nature. They are so new that we have not had time to thoroughly analyze the possible reactions that they could undergo in unusual environmental conditions. I find it difficult to believe that anyone can be *unconditionally certain* that these wastes, when combined together in an environment where temperatures and pressures are much higher than they are on the surface, will not react in some unsuspectedly dangerous manner."

Lambert is also incredulous about the reliability of a safety estimate involving thousands of years.

"Geologists can talk all they want to about waste materials remaining confined for 10,000 years; obviously, no one has actually been able to test such a theory and, as far as I'm concerned, too little is known about factors such as seismic activity and plate tectonics to allow for any such certainty."

Still another of Lambert's concerns involves the possibility of residents' exposure to harmful chemicals if a vehicle transporting wastes to the facility was to be involved in an accident.



"Such exposure," said Lambert, "is a hazard which Romulus people already face due to the chemicals currently hauled through our town by trucks and, especially, railroad cars. The additional traffic generated by the EDS well will increase risks significantly."

Councilman Lambert said that, despite voicing these concerns to his colleagues, he finds himself in the minority when it comes to opposing the well's construction in our city. Most of the other elected officials – convinced that, far from posing a danger, the well will actually perform a valuable and necessary service – look forward to the possibility that City coffers could be enriched by money from the facility. In fact, EDS has made an offer to pay the City an annual royalty of up to five percent of the money earned by the well. So far, this proposal has been neither accepted nor rejected.

And, in the long run, City acceptance or opposition is irrelevant, anyway, since it has no say-so over whether or not the well can be located and operated here. That power lies with agencies of the State of Michigan. □

## New Road Signs

By Officer Rick Schwartz, Romulus Police Department

To help clarify a confusing situation, new traffic signs have been erected at Goddard and Romaine. For those of you unfamiliar with street names, this is the intersection that brings you into downtown Romulus from the south, just past Crane Funeral Home and right at Metro Carburetor. The new signs are an advanced warning sign, located on northbound Goddard just north of Bibbins, and a "yield" sign with an advisory message (Except Vehicles Turning Right) under it at the Goddard curve. Also added to the intersection are "no parking" signs on the south side of Goddard. These signs will assist the motorist continuing onto Romaine from northbound Goddard by increasing the ability to see westbound Goddard traffic. □



# The Lighter Slice

## A Sick Cat Tail



By Tom Shamanski

Last week, I took my cat Dolly to the vet because I thought she was sick.

You see, for three days, Dolly had spent her time sleeping, scratching, rolling over, and sleeping again. This, for those unfamiliar with cats, is not unusual feline behavior, but such behavior is usually performed on a full stomach. For the first time since assuming command of my apartment, Dolly hadn't been eating.

In order to get her into one of those plastic transport boxes, I had to promise her that, the following weekend, I'd rent the video, *Detective School Dropouts*. It's one of her favorites and, as I'm a big Meryl Streep fan myself, I like it, too.

Anyway, arriving at the Kings-Ran-Someé Animal Hospital and Medical Center, I gave the receptionist all the necessary information: who to call in case of an emergency; where I worked and how much I made; and, if needed, my possibilities for readily obtaining a bank loan for services rendered by the vet, the animal technician, the laboratory technologist, and the guy in charge of valet parking, as well as for any necessary CAT scans. Suddenly, Dolly didn't seem so sick after all; I, however, was beginning to feel a little queasy.

After signing a statement that thereby made the Hospital the beneficiary of my life-insurance policy if I happened to pass on before paying my bill, Dolly and I

finally made it into the waiting room.

There, in front of us, was Door #1, Door #2, and Door #3. Although I wanted to pick #2 – I was certain that I would then win "A NEW CAR!" – the vet emerged from Door #1 and beckoned me in.

Still eyeing Door #2 as I was entering Door #1, I heard the vet say, "Aren't we forgetting something, sir?"

"Huh?"

"Your cat; you left your cat in the waiting room."

"Omigosh."

Quickly, I went to get Dolly, who was muttering under her breath: "And after all I've done for you."

Once again, the process of gathering information resumed – although, this time, it was indeed concerning Dolly's health, not my financial status or even the reason why I was wearing a cape.

"And what seems to be our problem today?" the vet started.

"Well, I'm feeling a little nauseated thinking about how much all this is going to cost me. Doc, I don't make a lot of..."

"We have a large variety of payment plans and, if that doesn't work out, well, we've got a lot of messy cages that need cleaning."

"I'll take Door #2," I said.

Disregarding this, she proceeded to tell me that blood would be drawn – Dolly's – and, depending on the results, a full treatment plan would be worked up. I was told to return in three hours. I did.

As I again entered Room #1, the vet said, "Although the blood work seemed fine, we still felt it appropriate to do a series of additional tests and x-rays. Those turned out all right, too, so I checked her for fleas, and she had some."

"Fleas? That's it? She had fleas?"

"Not to worry; we gave her a bath, put on some conditioner, fluffed her, and covered her with powder."

"Fleas? She had fleas?"

"Yes, isn't it wonderful that she wasn't really sick? But, to be on the safe side, I'd like to see her again in a week," she said.

I told her I'd have to check with my broker, first. □

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# Local Commentary

## The Passage of SB 1

By Gregory E. Pitoniak, State Representative, 22nd District

(Editor's note: The passage of SB 1 has been a matter of great debate, concerning both its adoption and what is to follow. The issue is of particular concern to Romulus residents, who have worked so hard in the past few years to build a technology-oriented education system that will meet our students' future needs — but who have also felt the burden of increasing dollars spent for their property taxes. For this reason, *The Romulus News* has invited our state representative, Gregory Pitoniak, to keep his constituents updated about the Legislature's actions concerning our schools' future and how they will be funded; he has graciously consented to contribute periodic articles to the "Local Commentary" column. As always, the views expressed in "Local Commentary" do not necessarily reflect those of *The Romulus News*.)

When the Michigan House of Representatives passed Senate Bill One (SB 1) on July 21, 1993, just 20 hours after the same bill had passed the State Senate, an earthquake rumbled through the halls of many a school board office and city hall in Michigan. When that week began, no one could have anticipated that such a proposal of tremendous implications and potential would have been offered, let alone adopted, by the Michigan Legislature. As I am now sure you are aware, SB 1 will repeal all property taxes used to fund Michigan public school operations. I supported the passage of this legislation and I would like to take this opportunity to share with you my feelings on this matter.

My position has long been a belief that permanent property tax relief and school finance reform could only be accomplished by eliminating the dependence on property taxes to fund public schools. Though the process by which this vote came about concerned me, and the lack of an identified alternative source of funding for Michigan public schools was of even greater concern, I felt compelled to support this historic opportunity.



Representative Gregory Pitoniak

Senate Bill 1 would cut property taxes Statewide by 65% through the elimination of all local school operating taxes, effective July, 1994. For a Romulus property owner, SB 1 would reduce your annual property tax bill by 44.82 mills, or about a 63% reduction in your total property tax bill. It has been estimated that \$6.3 billion in annual local school revenue (Statewide) will be eliminated through SB 1, once it is signed into law by the Governor. I do caution you to realize that the next step, and a very large step at that, is for the Governor and the Legislature to identify and approve new sources of revenue (i.e., tax increases) to fund our public schools. Practically, this must be accomplished by December 31, 1993. The options for alternative revenue sources are wide ranging and could include the following or a combination of the following: expansion of the sales tax into services; an increase in the sales, business, or income taxes; or an add-back of much lower property tax mills levied either Statewide or by a local option vote.

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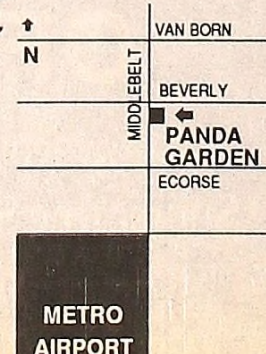
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The Romulus Arts Council and the Romulus Historical Society invite everyone to bring their lawn chairs and blankets out to the Romulus Historic Park on Sunday, August 29, at 3 p.m. to enjoy the last of the summer's free concerts. Featured will be the music of One Flight Up, who will perform a variety of folk tunes reminiscent of Peter, Paul, and Mary.

### Special Cookbook To Raise Funds for St. Aloysius

At the annual St. Aloysius Festival, to be held Labor Day weekend (Friday through Monday, September 3-6), St. Aloysius Catholic Church will be selling a specially created cookbook featuring the favorite recipes - from hors d'oeuvres to main meal selections - of its parish members and students. The unique, spiral-bound book, with its sections separated by attractive dividers, is a bargain at only \$6.25 per copy. Proceeds from the sale will go to the St. Aloysius building fund.

### "Benny"-fit Steak Roast

Employees of United Brass will be having a "Benny"-fit Steak Roast for their friend and co-worker, Ben Warren, on Sunday, August 29, at the Progressive Hall in Romulus. Ben has become disabled due to kidney failure, and is currently on Harper Hospital's waiting list for a kidney transplant. Proceeds from the sale of tickets, which are \$10 each, will be used to help pay for this very costly

operation. (Cash donations are also more than welcome!) For more information, please contact Linda Smith at United Brass (942-9224).

Ben's friends say that they're aware of how tough times are right now, so if you can't find it in your budget to send a donation or purchase a ticket, please take a moment of your time to say a prayer for Ben and his family.

### Attention, Area Crafters!

The Romulus Arts Council is planning its annual Arts & Crafts Fair for Saturday, September 18, in the new Historic Park that's located in downtown Romulus. The Group is currently seeking out artists and crafters who may be interested in purchasing table space to sell their wares. Spaces are just \$12.50.

Anyone interested in participating in the event, or who needs more information, should call Gloria Chandler at (313) 941-2678.

### Senior Citizens' Day at the Zoo

Seniors should be sure to mark Wednesday, August 25, on their calendars, since that's the day that Perry Drug Stores will be sponsoring a special Senior Citizens' Day at the Detroit Zoo. Admission and parking for all senior citizens and their escorts will be free of charge on that day. The Zoo will be open between 10 a.m. and 5 p.m. For more information, call Berl Falbaum at (313) 334-1300. □



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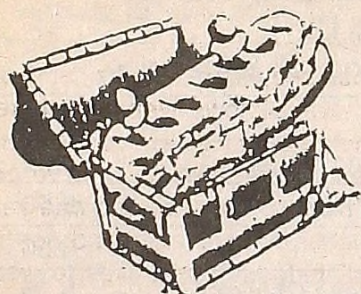
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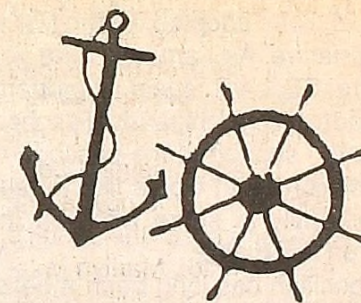
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# Romulus Profile: Barbara Schultz

By Tom Shamanski

In 1979, Barbara Schultz, a 26-year Romulus resident, began working at the Romulus Senior Center, located on Bibbins Street in downtown Romulus. In her position as program assistant, Schultz is responsible for a large variety of tasks necessary to keep the Center's activities running smoothly.

To Schultz, however, her post is much more than an "eight to four-thirty" job.

"Some of the seniors feel that they are no longer useful," Schultz explained in a recent interview. "But I believe that God created all of us with special ideas in mind. This process of fulfilling these ideas doesn't end at any certain age."

"Because of this," she continued, "I enjoy helping our senior citizens to see that they're still useful and productive individuals, and that there's a great deal of life for them to enjoy."

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Born in Detroit, Michigan, the 50-year-old Schultz moved to New Boston in the early 1960s. Although she had prior work experience, Schultz opted, at that time, to work in the home, raising her young son Allen.

"When Allen was in his teens," she said, "I applied for a job opening here at the Center, and got the job. Then, I worked only two days a week, mostly driving the van to take the seniors on various trips, but it was a job that helped me fulfill what I wanted to do: help people."

During her tenure at the Senior Center, Schultz has taken on several additional responsibilities and is now a full-time employee. Working with the Center's senior citizen coordinator, Marilyn Masters, Schultz plans senior activities, both within and outside the Center.

Among the indoor functions which she helps to plan and coordinate are ceramics classes, card games, bingo, oil painting, crafts, health screening, daily lunches (for those age 60 or over), and referrals.

"The referrals are one of our most important functions," stated Schultz. "Often, seniors are unsure where to call for help, so they call us. We have the information concerning where their needs may be met."

Such referrals often concern areas such as legal counseling, medical care, home improvement and repair, and "Home Share," a program which matches single seniors with prospective housemates, allowing them to lighten expense loads.

"The Home Share program is one which gives me much personal satisfaction," said Schultz. "Another program that I especially like to work on is our Tuesday social club, Club #1."

Schultz went on to explain that Club #1 is not only an opportunity for seniors to socialize, but is also a medium through which they can seek information pertain-

ing to their special needs. Schultz was asked to comment.

"Often," she said, "we'll show movies or have a speaker come in. We try to get speakers who can help everyone with general, everyday living."

"For instance," she added, "we might bring in a policeman to talk about 'con artists' who prey mostly on older people, or we'll have someone from the Fire Department talk about fire safety. However, the most important things that the seniors want to hear about are health-related issues."

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When asked to list outside-Center activities that she assists in planning, Schultz replied, "We have regular trips to museums, fairs, the zoo, community theater productions, shopping centers, and restaurants. Of these, the shopping trips and outings to community theater are popular, but dining out is the most popular of all."

In arranging trips, Schultz strives for variety and to keep the outings within a reasonable price range. When using a travel agency, Schultz said, she'll compare costs between a number of agencies, but usually finds that the best deals come from agencies which specialize in senior-citizen excursions.

One particularly enjoyable one-day trip, she said, is to an Amish flea market in Shipshewana, Indiana.

Said Schultz, "The flea market is held on part of a 100-acre field, and it's huge. A meal at an Amish restaurant is included in the fare; the restaurant setting is similar to that of restaurants in Frankenmuth (Michigan). After the meal, they have some absolutely delicious shoofly and oatmeal pies." (Note: Shoofly pie has a filling which consists of layers of molasses and brown sugar mixed with flour, topped with a crumbly crust of the sugar mixture. It got its name from the fact that it attracts flies that have to be shooed away.)

In fact, she noted, it is to this very spot that Schultz' husband Mel formerly journeyed to buy and sell horses. Periodically, he would attend a weekly horse and cattle auction that was held on a separate area of the Amish grounds. To this day, Schultz added, the auctions continue.

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Asked about whether she was involved in many other organizations or clubs, Schultz answered, "Although I don't have time for it now, Gail Blanchard, Charlotte McBride, and I formed the Romulus Horseman's Association in the late '60s. This came about because a previous City administration wanted to enact zoning laws that would prohibit keeping horses in Romulus."

"After contacting several horse people and getting organized," she continued, "we met with the City's planning



committee and also with City Council. We proposed 'reasonable' zoning, it passed, and we got to keep our horses."

Schultz then noted that the Association has now evolved into an active social club. The group participates in trail rides and, occasionally, sponsors a horse show. Schultz served as the Association's president for several years during its beginnings.

The Romulus Wesleyan Church, located at Five Points, is a major part of Schultz's life. Currently, she serves as the secretary and treasurer of the Church's Sunday school. In addition, Schultz teaches weekly "teen" classes and, in general, does whatever else is requested of her by Church Pastor Mike McClellan.

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Schultz' husband, 71-year-old Mel, retired from Great Lakes Steel's Ecorse facility after serving 37 years there as a maintenance welder.

"I try to enjoy his retirement with him and work at the same time. It's quite a juggling act," she smiled.

The Schultzes are the parents of Allen, 27, a Romulus resident who works in maintenance at a large Garden City apartment complex. Allen is married to Dawn, who is self-employed, operating a cleaning business from their home. Allen and Dawn have three children.

Six-year-old Jodi has an interest in everything. She is the "little mother" of

the other two, said Schultz, and she thinks that she knows everything there is to know! Stephanie, at four, has the "brightest, curliest red hair you've ever seen," Schultz bragged. And one-year-old Heather, who recently had her first "Barney" birthday party, likes to watch Barney on television – but, according to Schultz, Heather was a little unsettled when she actually saw the popular dinosaur "in person."

In her leisure time, Schultz enjoys cross-country skiing, hiking, bird-watching, and tennis – when she can find the time. Together, the Schultzes like to fish, camp, and go on weekend jaunts "to get away from it all." In celebration of their twenty-fifth wedding anniversary, the couple vacationed in Hawaii.

"While we were there," said Schultz, "I went flying on a glider – something I've always wanted to do. It was the pilot, a 76-year-old woman, and me."

Then, grinning, she added, "All of the 'younger set' were afraid to do it!"

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A personable, soft-spoken lady, Schultz obviously enjoys doing all that she can for the seniors. In large part, this seems to be true because she quietly carries her religion – and, consequently, her philosophy of life – with her each morning when she arrives at the Center.

The senior citizens of the City of Romulus are lucky to have such a wonderful woman working for their benefit. □



## LOCAL COMMENTARY

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Senate Bill 1 will also impact the operations of your city and county governments. One section of the bill essentially requires all Michigan cities to "freeze" the assessed valuation on all properties in 1994 at the 1993 levels. Furthermore, the revenue for Downtown Development Authorities (DDAs) and Tax Increment Finance Authorities (TIFAs) will be greatly reduced. These adverse impacts on local governments may have to be revisited by the Michigan Legislature in the next few months.

For your information, I continue to be an activist in the ongoing negotiations on this issue. In fact, I was recently appointed by Speaker Hertel to serve on the House Democratic Education Task Force, established to get public input on what Michigan "schools of the future" should look like and what is the fairest means for funding public schools. The Task Force will hold its first public hearing on Thursday, August 19, at 2 p.m. at the Southfield Civic Center. In addition, I

continue to serve as a member of the House Taxation Committee and the Bi-Partisan Legislative Team, where recommendations for public school finance are likely to be generated.

You and I must remain vigilant in our efforts to assure that the new system for funding Michigan's public schools is fair to taxpayers, as well as to school districts and local governments. There should be adequate tax revenues to assure that dramatic reductions in programs do not occur. Even so, I do believe that this approach will force greater efficiency in school districts, including some reductions and consolidations.

Again, I am pleased to share my thoughts with you. I hope that the information and insight I have provided is helpful.

If you should have any questions or comments on this matter, please do not hesitate to contact me at (517) 373-0852. Please send any correspondence to me at P.O. Box 30014, Lansing, MI 48913. □

## ROMULUS COMMUNITY SCHOOLS

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### STATUTORY MEETING, JULY 12, 1993

The Statutory Meeting of the Romulus Board of Education held Monday, July 12, 1993, was called to order by Superintendent Bedell at 7:20 P.M.

Roll call showed Member Wilkerson absent (excused). All Administrators were present.

#### Organization of Board:

Dr. Bedell asked for nominations.

Nominations opened for the Office of President:

Moved by Patterson supported by King to nominate Member Kesner. There being no other nominations, the nomination for the Office of President was closed. Member Kesner elected President by unanimous vote (6-0).

Nominations opened for the Office of Vice President:

Moved by Langley supported by Patterson to nominate Member King. There being no other nominations, the nomination for the Office of Vice President was closed. Member King elected Vice President by unanimous vote (6-0).

Nominations opened for the Office of Secretary:

Moved by Patterson supported by Berlenn to nominate Member Langley. There being no other nominations, the nomination for the Office of Secretary was closed. Member Langley elected Secretary by unanimous vote (6-0).

Nominations opened for the Office of Treasurer:

Moved by Langley supported by Patterson to nominate Member Hoffman. There being no other nominations, the nomination for the Office of Treasurer was closed. Member Hoffman elected Treasurer by unanimous vote (6-0).

#### Designation of Depositories:

7/93/1 Moved by Patterson supported by King the Board of Education name Comerica and First of America to continue as primary depositories and the President, Vice President, Secretary, Treasurer, and Superintendent of Schools continue to have the authority to sign authorizing documents requiring two of the five actual signatures or facsimile signatures. Ayes: 6. Nays: 0. Motion carried.

#### Schedule of Meetings:

7/93/2 Moved by Patterson supported by King the Board of Education of the Romulus Community Schools schedule their meetings as per the schedule presented for the 1993-1994 school year as amended. Ayes: 6. Nays: 0. Motion carried.

#### Naming of Auditor:

7/93/3 Moved by King supported by Patterson the Board of Education employ the firm of Post, Smythe, Lutz & Ziel to act as auditors for the Board of Education for the 1993-1994 school year. Ayes: 6. Nays: 0. Motion carried.

#### Naming of Attorneys:

7/93/4 Moved by Berlenn supported by Patterson the Board of Education employ the firm of Keller, Thoma, Schwarze, Schwarze, DuBay & Katz, P.C., to act as attorneys for the Board of Education of the 1993-1994 school year. Ayes: 6. Nays: 0. Motion carried.

#### Adoption of Previous Policies:

7/93/5 Moved by Patterson supported by King the Board of Education adopt existing policies of the Romulus Community Schools. Ayes: 6. Nays: 0. Motion carried.

#### Adoption of Rules of Order:

7/93/6 Moved by Berlenn supported by Hoffman the Board of Education continue to use Robert's Rules of Order as its parliamentary guide, and that Dr. Terrel LeCesne be approved as the Board's Parliamentarian for the 1993-1994 school year. Ayes: 6. Nays: 0. Motion carried.

#### Adjournment:

7/93/7 Moved by Hoffman supported by Berlenn the meeting be adjourned. Ayes: 6. Nays: 0. Motion carried.

The meeting was adjourned at 7:28 P.M.

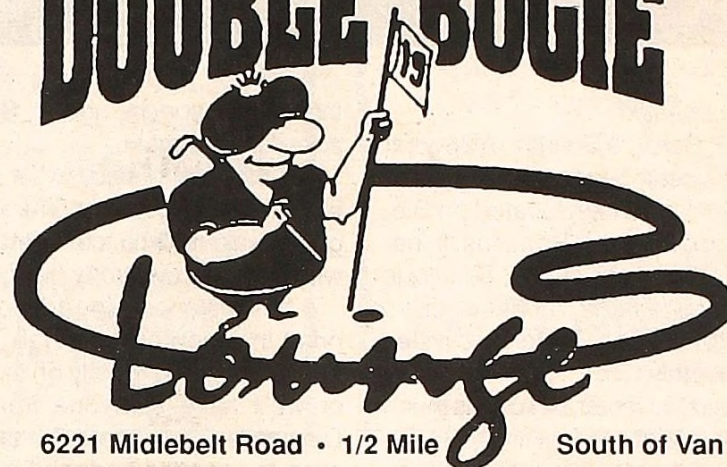
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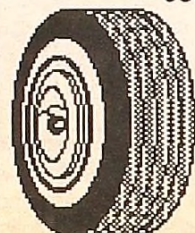
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Gold – Basket Throw  
Gold – Lawn Bowling  
Gold – Ball Throw  
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**Ruth Carter**  
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Silver – Bowling  
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Gold – Pinochle  
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Silver – Volleyball  
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Bronze – Bowling

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Gold – Golf Pin  
Gold – Basket Throw  
Gold – Golf Scramble  
Silver – Billiards  
**Marian Krause**  
Gold – Euchre  
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Gold – Golf Scramble  
Gold – Golf Pin  
**Earl Michling**  
Gold – Lawn Bowling  
**Grace Nehra**  
Gold – Lawn Bowling  
**Ann Rakotz**  
Silver – Lawn Bowling  
**Joan Scibilia**  
Bronze – Lawn Bowling  
**Joseph Scibilia**  
Silver – Lawn Bowling  
**Ruth Skupny**  
Gold – Billiards  
**Mary Sneath**  
Gold – Shuffleboard  
Silver – Lawn Bowling  
Bronze – Horseshoes  
**Francis Speer**  
Bronze – Horseshoes  
**Mary Sprau**  
Gold – Lawn Bowling  
**Isaac Tilley**  
Bronze – Volleyball  
**Irene Wegienka**  
Bronze – Bowling  
**Susie Whitworth**  
Gold – Lawn Bowling  
Bronze – Frisbee  
**Viola Willoughby**  
Silver – Horseshoes  
Silver – Shuffleboard  
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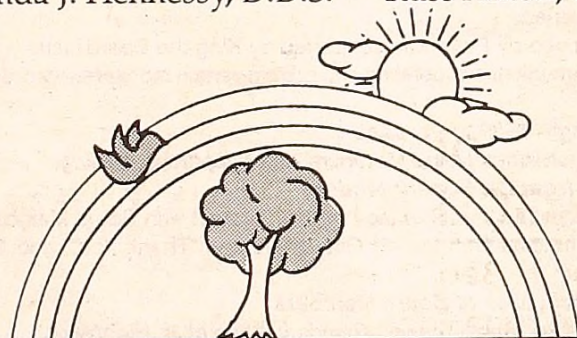
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# Wedding Bells

Steven Honeycutt and Sonya Brown



Wedding bells will ring in a future of happiness for Steven Honeycutt and Sonya L. Brown of Romulus, Michigan, on Saturday, August 14, 1993.

The couple – who became engaged on Friday, May 21, 1993 – will exchange their wedding vows at Gethsemane Baptist Church in Melvindale, Michigan.

Steven's groomsmen will be "best man" Jerry Honeycutt, Jimmy Honeycutt, Eli Fry, Brian Suominen, and Dan Burlison.

Bridesmaids for Sonya will be "maid of honor" Dawn Brown, Pam Honeycutt, Olivia Fry, Heather Dehart, and Lisa Holt. Jimmi Honeycutt will be the ring boy, and the flower girl will be Georgea Frye.

A reception will be held at the Roxy (Belleville, MI) following the ceremony.

Steven's mother is Virginia Blaylock (Dearborn Heights, MI); Sonya is the daughter of Brenda Brown (Romulus, MI). □

# The Stork Arrived

Jacob James Wolfe

James Wolfe (formerly of Wayne, MI) and Candice Silvey (formerly of Romulus, MI) of Belleville, Michigan, are the proud parents of a son, Jacob "Jakie" James Wolfe, born at Annapolis Hospital (Wayne, MI) on Saturday, May 8, 1993, at 6:58 p.m. The couple's first born weighed in at six pounds and eight ounces, and is 20 inches long.

Jakie's grandparents include Kennetta Moue (Romulus, MI), "Special Grandpa" Robert Courser (West Bloomfield, MI), Leonard Silvey (Southgate, MI), Martha Wolfe (Wayne, MI), and James Wolfe (Ypsilanti, MI). Great-grandparents include Henrietta Asher (Canton, IL), Leonard Silvey (Lake, MI), and Mr. and Mrs. Robert Young (Hastings, MI).

Larry Allen Holbird, Jr.

Proudly announcing the birth of their new son, Larry Allen Holbird, Jr., are Larry Holbird and Anjanette Hicks of Romulus, Michigan.

Larry was born in Oakwood Hospital (Dearborn, MI) at 11:36 p.m. on Friday, July 2, 1993. He weighed six pounds, 13 ounces, and measured 21½ inches.

Larry is the Holbirds' second child. Their first son, James Duke Holbird, is 11 months old.

Mr. and Mrs. Foster Holbird (New Boston, MI) are Larry's paternal grandparents; his maternal grandparents are Maynard and Angeline Hicks (Romulus, MI). □



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## REGULAR MEETING, JULY 12, 1993

The Regular Meeting of the Romulus Board of Education held Monday, July 12, 1993, was called to order by President Kesner at 7:32 P.M.

Roll call showed Member Wilkerson absent (excused). All Administrators were present. Pledge of Allegiance was led by President Kesner.

### Approval of Agenda:

7/93/8 Moved by King supported by Hoffman the Agenda be approved as presented by Dr. Bedell. Ayes: 6. Nays: 0. Motion carried.

### Approval of Minutes of Previous Meetings:

7/93/9 Moved by Patterson supported by Hoffman the Board approve the Minutes of June 28, 1993, as presented. Ayes: 5. Nays: 0. Abstain: 1 (Berlenn). Motion carried.

### Communications and Expressions from the Public:

There were no communications and expressions from the public this evening.

### Report of the Superintendent:

#### Personnel Actions

7/93/10 Moved by Berlenn supported by King the Board approve the Education Leave for Charlotte Huby for first semester of the 1993-1994 school year as recommended by the Superintendent. Ayes: 6. Nays: 0. Motion carried.

7/93/11 Moved by Patterson supported by King the Board approve the termination of Sandra Paulsen effective immediately and that her name be removed from the teacher recall lists. Ayes: 6. Nays: 0. Motion carried.

#### Bills for Payment

7/93/12 Moved by Patterson supported by Hoffman the Board approve the Bills for Payment as presented by Administrator Carr. Ayes: 6. Nays: 0. Motion carried.

#### Memberships – 1993-1994 School Year

7/93/13 Moved by Berlenn supported by Patterson the Board accept the recommendation of the Superintendent and join the District to the Michigan Association of School Boards; and

join the Michigan High School Athletic Association by adopting the resolution presented; and

join the Michigan Out-of-Formula District Association;

and that all memberships above be for the 1993-1994 school year.

Ayes: 6. Nays: 0. Motion carried.

#### Appointment of Committees

President Kesner will do at a later date.

#### Discussion of TIFAs (Executive Session)

7/93/14 Moved by Patterson supported by Berlenn the Board convene in Executive Session for purpose of TIFA discussion. Roll call vote showed: Ayes: 6. Nays: 0. Motion carried.

The Board convened in Executive Session at 7:59 P.M. and reconvened in Regular Session at 9:00 P.M.

#### Adoption of Policies:

7/93/15 Moved by Patterson supported by Hoffman the Board adopt the following policies as recommended by the attorney and approved by the Policy Committee:

- A. Requests for Public Records
- B. Grievance Procedure
- C. Discrimination Harassment of Students and Employees
- D. Non-discrimination
- E. Retaliation of Whistle Blower
- F. Student Code of Conduct

Ayes: 6. Nays: 0. Motion carried.

#### Barton Malow – Change Orders/Contracts

7/93/16 Moved by Patterson supported by Hoffman the Board of Education award a contract to Interior Concepts, Spring Lake, Michigan, for interior design (Technology) for Romulus Junior High School per Proposal #93-11-2771 dated 6/28/93 (\$42,201). Ayes: 6. Nays: 0. Motion carried.

7/93/17 Moved by Patterson supported by King the Board issue a change order to Michigan Bell Communications deleting and adding certain monitors. Ayes: 6. Nays: 0. Motion carried.

#### Report on Staffing – 1989 to Present

Dr. LeCesne furnished Board Members with a report on staffing.

#### Items of Interest from the Superintendent

Dr. Bedell discussed the following Items of Interest with Board Members:

1) Policy Committee Minutes; 2) Gifted/Talented "Thank You"; and 3) EMU Letter – Phyllis Wilkerson.

#### Questions and Concerns of Board Members

Member Hoffman: Concerns on grounds upkeep at Jr. High/Wick.

Member Langley: Complimented Lynne Mossoian, Principal, for excellent Halecreek School report.

Member Langley: Suggested use of video and technology to film Board meetings.

Member Langley: Building presentations.

Member Berlenn: Felt Board needs to make additional efforts to communicate.

Member King: Agreed – use technology to give public information.

Member Patterson: Agree Board needs to provide said information to the public, but without extending Board meetings.

Mrs. Bjork and Mr. Williams agreed as well that the Board needs to provide more information to the public and suggested the use of monitors.

#### Adjournment:

7/93/18 Moved by Patterson supported by Hoffman the meeting be adjourned. Ayes: 6. Nays: 0. Motion carried.

The meeting adjourned at 9:41 P.M.

Respectfully submitted,  
Sandra F. Langley, Secretary  
Romulus Board of Education



# Panda Gardens Will Pander To Your Cravings for Chines Food

By Lisa Kreutzer

Romulus residents who crave Chinese cuisine will be happy to hear that an old friend has come back to Town – and, this time, he's here to stay!

When Peter Choi – a native of Canton, China, who grew up in Hong Kong and migrated to the United States in 1972 – opened up the China Chef (located in the Wayneport Plaza) in January of 1989, it was the only Chinese restaurant in Romulus. It quickly earned a reputation for serving up fresh, delicious carry-out food, with an average order taking only 10 to 15 minutes to fill.

But, after working at his culinary craft for awhile, Choi decided that he wanted to take some time to further study the art of preparing different styles of Chinese food, so he sold the China Chef and went back to learn more about cooking at his family's Chinese restaurant in Northville.

Now, after a period of intensive study, Choi has opened a new restaurant here in Romulus – the Panda Garden, located

on Middlebelt Road at the corner of Beverly. There, he and his wife Ann – who's also from China – are once again serving up some of the finest carry-out food available anywhere.

When asked why he is so devoted to a career in making fine Chinese cuisine, Choi replied that, because his family was in the restaurant business, he developed a love of cooking good food at an early age. For him, it is a great pleasure to see people enjoying a dish that he has prepared with loving care.

Peter and Ann have two sons – Donald, who is currently a student at Eastern Michigan University, and Edwin, who attends high school in Canton. Both of the young men, who were born here in Michigan, work at their parents' restaurant when not in school.

Be sure to drop in at the Panda Garden and welcome the Chois back to Romulus – and, while you're there, pick up some of their wonderful carry-out and save yourself the chore of cooking dinner tonight! □

# Happy Birthday

Happy 1st Birthday  
Kizzie Zola Sharrow  
(Baby Zola)



"Barney" will join Baby Zola's family and friends in celebrating her birthday on Saturday, August 14.

Congratulations and  
Happy 5th Birthday to  
"Our Big Boy"



Love: Mom, Dad, Grandma, Papa, Nana, California, Colorado, and Florida.

# "Our Home"

## Remodeling Improves Home's Value



By Celia Chesno

Well, you've decided to do some remodeling and you want to know what will give you the greatest return on your money when you retire in a few years. You have every expectation of moving to a place where the sun shines every day!

You call your local realtor to see if she can give you any input, and she says, "Of course, I can't be sure which things buyers will want, but I can give you a few general guidelines which may help you decide where to invest your money. Adding another bedroom seems like a great idea, but someone buying your home may use that room as a den or office. You might consider putting in good lighting, extra shelves, and maybe improving the electrical outlets."

"Generally," she continues, "people are most interested in a home's kitchen. If yours is old and outdated, this is where your money will probably be best spent.

Consider that, in our busy life-styles of today, it is often true that the only time a family gets to spend together is dinner-time. Making the kitchen more efficient and cozy just might pay off with a huge return when you sell.

"Another room that people are always interested in is the bathroom. They look for bright and clean – new cabinets, mirrors, and lighting will go a long way! Also, consider an added bathroom; a key question when people are looking for a home is always, 'How many bathrooms?'"

Finally, your realtor reminds you that it is important to have your home in good repair.

"Preventative maintenance will save you time and money when it comes time to put your home on the market," she explains. "Maintaining your landscaping, or having professional landscaping done, will attract people to your home and let them know that you care about the home."

"Thank you!" you tell your friendly realtor. "I knew we could count on you to help us decide which improvements would best suit us financially and would be most in keeping with our life-style."

Your local realtor replies, "No thanks are necessary! I'm here to help you make good decisions. You know that you can call me anytime I can be of help to you!"

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## Happy 100th Birthday Ella (Bolinski) Hoffman

Celebrating her 100th birthday on Friday, August 6, 1993, was Mrs. Ella (Bolinski) Hoffman, a former resident of Romulus for more than 60 years.

A native of Detroit, Michigan, Ella met and married her husband, Charles Hoffman, in her hometown. At first, the two lived in and managed a Detroit apartment building, but in January of 1919, they moved to a Romulus farm located at 13720 Wahrman Road (between Eureka and Northline). Charles died in 1942.

Of the four children born to Ella and Charles, the first two were born in Detroit; the last two on their Romulus farm. They were Mildred (born 1914), Florence (born 1918; died 1972), Eleanor (born 1921), and Charles (born 1924). In all, Ella has six grandchildren and 13 great-grandchildren.

Ella now resides in Lewiston with her two daughters. □





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# Obituaries

## Alfred A. Block

Alfred A. Block of Huron Township, Michigan, died on Friday, August 6, 1993. He was 62 years old.

Alfred is survived by his wife, Hilda Block; two sons, James and Fred Block; three grandchildren, James, Gregory, and Kristin Block; a brother, Alan Block; a sister, Eileen Istvan; and six grandchildren.

Funeral services were held on Tuesday, August 10, at St. Paul United Church of Christ (Taylor, MI). Interment was at Michigan Memorial Park (Flat Rock, MI). Arrangements were made by Howe Peterson Funeral Home-Taylor Chapel. Memorial tributes may be made to the Timmy Mann Fund or St. Paul Church.

## Andrew L. Funchar

Seventy-seven-year-old Andrew L. Funchar of Romulus, Michigan, died on Thursday, July 22, 1993.

Born in Pittsburgh, Pennsylvania, on August 14, 1915, Andrew married Thelma Hamlin in Detroit, Michigan, on June 9, 1945.

He is survived by his wife; two sons, Andrew Jr. (Nanassas, VA) and Steven Funchar (Flat Rock, MI); one daughter, Mrs. Jeff (Susan) Grant (Romulus, MI); six grandchildren; three brothers, Edward (Romulus, MI), John (Livonia, MI), and Albert Funchar (Warren, MI); and one sister, Mary Funchar (Belleville, MI).

Funeral services were held on Monday, July 26, at St. Aloysius Catholic Church (Romulus, MI), with Father Michael Malawy officiating. Burial was at Mt. Olivet Cemetery (Detroit, MI). Arrangements were made by Crane Funeral Home (Romulus, MI). Memorial tributes may be made to Community Food Depot and/or St. Vincent DePaul Society.

## Elinore Ruth Lixey

Elinore Ruth Lixey of Romulus, Michigan, died on Thursday, July 29, 1993, at the age of 66.

A native of Michigan, Elinore was born on February 27, 1927. Her husband Matthew, born on October 6, 1947, preceded her in death on March 19, 1984.

Elinore is survived by four sons, Larry M. (California), Michael (Romulus, MI), Edward (California), and Mark Lixey (Santa Maria, CA); two daughters, Ms. Sharon DeBacker (California) and Mrs. Michael (Pamila) Waddle (Trenton, MI); three brothers, Charles, Frank, and John Murphy; and five sisters, Jan, Margaret, Sharon, Lorraine, and Patricia.

Funeral services were held Monday, August 2, at the Evangel Baptist Church (Taylor, MI), with Reverend Ronald Grief officiating. Burial was at Romulus Cemetery. Arrangements were made by Crane Funeral Home (Romulus, MI).

## Eugene Paul Madej

Eugene Paul Madej of Romulus, Michigan, died on Tuesday, August 3, 1993. He was 74 years old.

Eugene, who had worked as a weight master at the Detroit Stockyard, was

born in Detroit, Michigan, on May 21, 1919.

Eugene is survived by his wife Stella K. (Macielog) Madej; one son, Thomas E. Madej, and his wife Linda (Romulus, MI); one daughter, Mrs. James (Christine E.) Harrison (Romulus, MI); two grandchildren; two brothers, Ted (Dearborn, MI) and and Sylvester Madej (Woodhaven, MI); and two sisters, Mrs. Pauline Zowlinski (Gatesville, MI) and Mrs. Zigmund (Bernice) Kobylas (Redford, MI).

Funeral services were held on Friday, August 6, 1993, at St. Aloysius Catholic Church (Romulus, MI), with Father Michael Malawy officiating. Interment was at Holy Cross Cemetery (Detroit, MI). Arrangements were made by Crane Funeral Home (Romulus, MI). Memorial tributes may be made in the form of mass cards, or to any charitable organization.

## Robert H. Rockwell

Eighty-seven-year-old Robert H. Rockwell of Romulus, Michigan, died on Friday, August 6, 1993.

A former power-plant supervisor for the Ford Motor Company, Robert was born in Stockbridge, Michigan, on December 1, 1905.

Robert was survived by one son, John W. Rockwell (Belleville, MI); two grandchildren, Brad Rockwell and his wife Marla (Florida) and Jan Webster and her husband Dave (Belleville, MI); two great-grandchildren, Ashlee and Jacob; and one sister-in-law, Vesta Smith (Lincoln Park, MI). He was preceded in death by his wife, Ethel A. (Davidson) Rockwell, in 1989.

Funeral services were held on Monday, August 9, at Crane Funeral Home (Romulus, MI), with Reverend J.D. Landis (Community United Methodist Church, Romulus, MI) officiating. Interment was at Michigan Memorial Park (Flat Rock, MI). Memorial tributes may be made to any cancer research foundation.

## Sean W. L. Smitt

Sean W. L. Smitt of Romulus, Michigan, died on Friday, July 16, 1993. He was 24 years old.

Born in Wayne, Michigan, on August 8, 1968, Sean, a 1987 graduate of Romulus High School, was employed by K.N.C. Engineering as a sheetmetal worker.

He is survived by his mother, Martha R. Smitt (Dearborn, MI); his father, William C. Smitt (Sterling Heights, MI); three sisters, Mrs. Larry (Diane) Dobbryn, Mrs. Kathleen (John) Moomaw, and Mrs. Chris (Billie Jo) Kowalski (all of Romulus, MI); his maternal grandmother, Mrs. Freda M. Demitt (Dearborn, MI); his paternal grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. Robert (Nina) Smitt (Romulus, MI); and his girlfriend, Kerri Applebee.

Funeral services were held on Monday, July 19, at Crane Funeral Home (Romulus, MI), with Reverend J.D. Landis (Community United Methodist Church, Romulus, MI) officiating. Burial was at Romulus Cemetery (Romulus, MI). □

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## REGULAR MEETING, JULY 26, 1993

At 7:15 P.M., a Truth in Taxation Hearing was held in the Board Room of the Administration Complex.

The Regular Meeting of the Romulus Board of Education held Monday, July 26, 1993, was called to order by President Kesner at 7:35 P.M.

Roll call showed Member Hoffman absent (excused) and Member Langley. All Administrators were present.

(Member Langley entered the meeting at 8:00 P.M. and Member Patterson left at 8:40 P.M.)

Pledge of Allegiance was led by President Kesner.

### Approval of Agenda:

Dr. Bedell recommended the addition to the Agenda of Item B. 1. "Barton Malow".

7/93/19 Moved by Wilkerson supported by Patterson the Agenda be approved as amended by Dr. Bedell. Ayes: 5. Nays: 0. Motion carried.

### Communications and Expressions from the Public:

Chris Gonzales gave a report on her sabbatical leave (reading).

### Report of the Superintendent:

#### Executive Session - TIFA

7/93/20 Moved by Patterson supported by Wilkerson the Board convene in Executive Session for purpose of discussing TIFA. Roll call vote showed: Ayes: 5. Nays: 0. Motion carried.

The Board convened in Executive Session at 7:48 P.M. and reconvened in Regular Session at 8:36 P.M.

#### Resolution on TIFA

7/93/21 Moved by Berlenn supported by Langley the Board approve the TIFA Resolution directing school attorneys to file a complaint on behalf of the Romulus Community Schools against the City of Romulus. Ayes: 6. Nays: 0. Motion carried.

#### Personnel Actions

Dr. LeCesne recommended the following Personnel Actions for Board approval:

A. Retirement: Elaine Young, Cust. - Mt. Pleasant, Eff. 7/14/93.

7/93/22 Moved by Wilkerson supported by King the Board approve the Personnel Actions as recommended by Dr. LeCesne. Ayes: 5. Nays: 0. Motion carried.

#### Bills for Payment

7/93/23 Moved by King supported by Berlenn the Board approve the Bills for Payment as submitted by Administrator Carr. Ayes: 5. Nays: 0. Motion carried.

#### Barton Malow

7/93/24 Moved by Wilkerson supported by King the Board award contracts under Bid Package No. 14 for furniture for the High School, Media Center and Cafeteria to McFadden Corp. (\$36,508) and Ural (\$26,366). Ayes: 5. Nays: 0. Motion carried.

#### Winter Tax Levy

7/93/25 Moved by Wilkerson supported by Berlenn the Board of Education adopt a 1993 Winter Levy of 22.17 mills for operating and 1.92 mills for debt. Ayes: 5. Nays: 0. Motion carried.

#### Appointment of Committees

The President recommends appointments to the following committees:

Finance - Berlenn, Hoffman, Patterson, Carr, Bales, Nash & Woods (Mr. Carr to confirm with Mr. Berlenn).

Policy - Wilkerson, King, Langley, LeCesne, Harris, Oleszkowicz & Szente.

Personnel - Hoffman, King, Patterson.

#### Request from Health Center

7/93/26 Moved by King supported by Berlenn the Board of Education table the request from Health Center until a later date. Ayes: 5. Nays: 0. Motion carried.

#### Middle School Request - Paradigm Shift

7/93/27 Moved by King supported by Langley the Board approve the resolution authorizing the change in name of the Romulus Junior High School to Romulus Middle School. Ayes: 5. Nays: 0. Motion carried.

#### Student Transfers

7/93/28 Moved by Wilkerson supported by Langley the Board accept the recommendation of the Superintendent and approve the transfer of Meggan, Ryan, and Jaime Molloy to attend Huron Schools for the 1993-1994 school year. Ayes: 5. Nays: 0. Motion carried.

#### Items of Interest from the Superintendent

Dr. Bedell discussed the following Items of Interest with Board Members:

1) Marshall Music Letter; 2) Alumni Association Letter of "Thanks"; 3) Project Managers Report; and 4) Letter of "Thanks" - Mark Lewkowicz.

Also, a Special Meeting was scheduled for August 17, 1993 to tour the High School.

#### Questions and/or Concerns of Board Members

Member King: Questioned the district's funding of DARE.

Member Langley: Requested check of TIFA Board appointment.

#### Adjournment:

7/93/29 Moved by Wilkerson supported by Berlenn the meeting be adjourned. Ayes: 5. Nays: 0. Motion carried.

The meeting was adjourned at 9:17 P.M.

Respectfully submitted,  
Sandra F. Langley, Secretary  
Romulus Board of Education

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